

**APPLICATION FOR PERMIT
TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA**

Date of filing in State Engineer's Office. JAN 17 1990

Returned to applicant for correction.....

Corrected application filed.....

Map filed JAN 18 1990 under 54335

The applicant Newmont Gold Company (Attn: Engineering Department)

P.O. Box 669, of Carlin,
Street and No. or P.O. Box No. City or Town

Nevada 89822, hereby make S application for permission to appropriate the public
State and Zip Code No.

waters of the State of Nevada, as hereinafter stated. (If applicant is a corporation, give date and place of incorporation; if a copartnership or association, give names of members.) March 26, 1965 - Delaware

1. The source of the proposed appropriation is Underground (Genesis Project)
Name of stream, lake, spring, underground or other source

2. The amount of water applied for is 2.0 cfs second-feet
One second-foot equals 448.83 gals. per min.

(a) If stored in reservoir give number of acre-feet.....

3. The water to be used for Mining, Milling, and Domestic
Irrigation, power, mining, manufacturing, domestic, or other use. Must limit to one use.

4. If use is for:

(a) Irrigation, state number of acres to be irrigated.....

(b) Stockwater, state number and kinds of animals to be watered.....

(c) Other use (describe fully under "No. 12. Remarks").....

(d) Power:

(1) Horsepower developed.....

(2) Point of return of water to stream.....

5. The water is to be diverted from its source at the following point NE 1/4 SE 1/4 Section 31, T36N, R50E,
Describe as being within a 40-acre subdivision of public

MDM at a point from which the SE corner of said Section 31 bears S19°08'26" E,
survey, and by course and distance to a section corner. If on unsurveyed land, it should be so stated.

a distance of 2,078 feet.

6. Place of use Sections 31 & 32 T 36N, R50E, MDM
Describe by legal subdivision. If on unsurveyed land, it should be so stated.

7. Use will begin about January 1 and end about December 31, of each year.
Month and Day Month and Day

8. Description of proposed works. (Under the provisions of NRS 535.010 you may be required to submit plans and specifications of your diversion or storage works.) drilled and cased well equipped with motor,
State manner in which water is to be diverted, i.e. diversion structure, ditches and
pump and pipeline to place of use
flumes, drilled well with pump and motor, etc.

9. Estimated cost of works \$30,000.00

10. Estimated time required to construct works.....1 year.....
If well completed, describe works.

11. Estimated time required to complete the application of water to beneficial use.....5 years.....

12. Remarks: For use other than irrigation or stock watering, state number and type of units to be served or annual consumptive use.

See attached remarks

By s/Michael D. Buschelman Agent

5405 Mae Anne Avenue
 Reno, NV 89523

Compared pm/ sa bp/se

Protested

APPROVAL OF STATE ENGINEER

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing application, and do hereby grant the same, subject to the following limitations and conditions:

This permit is issued subject to existing rights. It is understood that the amount of water herein granted is only a temporary allowance and that the final water right obtained under this permit will be dependent upon the amount of water actually placed to beneficial use. It is also understood that this right must allow for a reasonable lowering of the static water level. This well shall be equipped with a two (2) inch opening for measuring depth to water. If the well is flowing, a valve must be installed and maintained to prevent waste. A totalizing meter must be installed and maintained in the discharge pipeline near the point of diversion and accurate measurements must be kept of water placed to beneficial use. The totalizing meter must be installed before any use of water begins, or before the Proof of Completion of Work is filed. This source is located within an area designated by the State Engineer, pursuant to NRS 534.030. The State retains the right to regulate the use of the water herein granted at any and all times.

This Permit does not extend the permittee the right of ingress and egress on public, private or corporate lands.

The well must be sealed with cement grout, concrete grout or neat cement from ground level to 100 feet.

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The amount of water to be appropriated shall be limited to the amount which can be applied to beneficial use, and not to exceed 2.0 cubic feet per second, but not to exceed 472 million gallons annually.

Work must be prosecuted with reasonable diligence and be completed on or before June 11, 1991

Proof of completion of work shall be filed on or before July 11, 1991

Application of water to beneficial use shall be made on or before June 11, 1993

Proof of the application of water to beneficial use shall be filed on or before July 11, 1993

Map in support of proof of beneficial use shall be filed on or before N/A

Completion of work filed JUL 9 - 1992

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, R. MICHAEL TURNIPSEED, P.E.

State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set my hand and the seal of my

Proof of beneficial use filed

office, this 11th day of June

Cultural map filed

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Certificate No. Issued

Michael Turnipseed
 State Engineer

(PERMIT TERMS CONTINUED)

This permit is issued under the preferred use provisions of NRS Chapter 534. The manner of use of water under this permit is by nature of its activity a temporary use and any application to change the manner of use granted under this permit will be subject to additional determination and evaluation with respect to the permanent effects on existing rights and the resource within the ground water basin.

The issuance of this permit does not waive the requirements that the permit holder obtain other permits from State, Federal and local agencies and is specifically issued contingent upon approval by the Nevada Division of Environmental Protection of the dewatering project.

This permit is issued subject to the water management plan and water management plan addendum among Barrick Goldstrike Mines, Inc.; Newmont Gold Company; and T S Ranch Joint Venture dated May 1, 1989.

Any water obtained as a result of the dewatering operation of Barrick Goldstrike Mines, Inc. or Newmont Gold Company shall be used first by the permittee for mining, milling, heap leaching, drilling, road watering and other related mining and milling uses hereinafter referred to as mining and milling uses within the described place of use and prior to any use of the water authorized under Permits 49960, 50567, 50688, 50939, 51074, 51750, 51963, 52354, 52795, 52796, 52797, 52999, 53000, 53778-T, 53779-T, 54156-T, 54212-T, 54213-T, 54304-T, 54305-T, 54306-T, 54307-T, 54335, 54336, 54337, 54338, 54410-T and 54598-T.

The total amount of water under the above mentioned permits shall not exceed 2,000 million gallons annually.

The parties to the water management plan shall submit a monitoring plan to the State Engineer within three months after the issuance of this permit. This plan must address all aspects of potential impacts resulting from any pumping of water including the dewatering of the pit area. The State Engineer retains the right to require the parties of the plan to cooperate in the funding of a hydrology study to be conducted by an independent third party.

The State Engineer retains the right to regulate the pumping from the dewatering project and/or any other groundwater withdrawals herein authorized to protect the public interest and existing rights.

A monthly report shall be submitted to the State Engineer within 10 days from the end of the month which shall include the amount pumped from each well and the amount used for each mining and milling purpose.

**ITEM 12 - REMARKS
GENESIS PIT PROJECT**

Proposed pumping under this application will contribute to the dewatering of the Genesis Pit. The water generated from this 40 acre subdivision will be delivered to mining and milling operations through out the place of use in accordance with the water management plan and water management plan addendum among Barrick Goldstrike Mines, Inc.; Newmont Gold Company; and TS Ranch Joint Venture dated May 1, 1989. The total combined duty of water under this application and the permits issued under the above mentioned water management plan will not exceed 2,000 million gallons annually.

Even though a tie and bearing description has been provided under item number 5 to a particular well site, it is the intention of the applicant to drill at a location(s) within the identified 40 acre subdivision that is most effective for the dewatering of the pit area. It may also be necessary to drill more than one well within this same 40 acre subdivision.

Refer to map filed under Permit No. 51074 which illustrates the proposed place of use under this application.